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Applicant:

Claus Mohr PEDERSEN

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For

APPARATUS FOR THE CUTTING UP OF FISH, FILLETS OF FISH AND THE LIKE AND METHOD OF CUTTING UP FISH/FILLETS

AND USE OF THE METHOD AND THE APPARATUS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 15, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 1 as follows. A marked up version showing the changes made is appended at the end of this response.

1. Apparatus for the cutting up of fish and fish fillets in slices, comprising a feeding unit which comprises means for the feeding of the fish/fillets, said feeding unit conveying the fish/fillets to a cutting unit which cuts the fish/fillets in slices, and means for the collection and processing of data, in which the means for the collection and processing of data comprise means

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